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A SELF PROPELLED FLOOR

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AMENDMENT "A"

Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed on October 5, 2005 applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 9 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 14 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

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Remarks/Arguments begin on page 15 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 27 of this paper.